

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L ALEXANDRIA 0736

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FROM AMBASSADOR IN ALEXANDRIA:

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS)  
SUBJECT: SECVISIT: ARRIVAL TIME AT GIANACLIS AIRFIELD

REF: (A) ALEXANDRIA 697, (B) STATE 173910

1. AS INDICATED REFTELS, WE ARE PLANNING FOR 1645  
LOCAL (1445 GMT) AUGUST 1 ARRIVAL TIME AT GIANACLIS  
AIRFIELD. WILL BE HELPFUL IF WE CAN TRY TO INSURE THAT  
AIRCRAFT NOT RPT NOT ARRIVE BEFORE THAT TIME. AS  
DEPT AWARE, GIANACLIS AIRFIELD IS ABOUT FIFTY MILES  
FROM ALEXANDRIA AND REQUIRES HALF HOUR DRIVE FROM  
PALESTINE HOTEL TO NUZHA AIRFIELD FOLLOWED BY  
APPROXIMATELY TWENTY MINUTE HELICOPTER FLIGHT FROM  
NUZHA AIRFIELD TO GET THERE. GIANACLIS IS MILITARY  
AIRFIELD AND RUNWAY HAS NO SHADE OR FACILITIES.  
DEPUTY PRIMIN/FONMIN FAHMY AND MRS. FAHMY WILL LEAVE  
PALESTINE HOTEL SO AS TO ARRIVE GIANACLIS ONLY A FEW  
MINUTES BEFORE ARRIVAL SECRETARY'S AIRCRAFT. FAHMY  
IS BASING HIS DEPARTURE TIME FROM PALESTINE HOTEL  
ON 1645 ETA WZ HAVE GIVEN HIM.

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2. HE HAS ALSO INDICATED THAT HE AND MRS. FAHMY DO  
NOT WANT TO BE OUT IN THE SUN AT GIANACLIS ANY LONGER  
THAN NECESSARY. HENCE, IF AIRCRAFT SHOULD FOR ANY  
REASON BE DELAYED EN ROUTE, WOULD BE HELPFUL HAVE  
INFO FLASH AT LEAST HOUR AND HALF BEFORE ORIGINALLY  
SCHEDULED ETA SO THAT WE CAN DELAY FAHMYS' DEPARTURE  
FROM PALESTINE HOTEL BY WHATEVER TIME IS NECESSARY. ONCE THEY

HAVE LEFT PALESTINE HOTEL, THERE IS NO WAY WE CAN CONTACT  
THEM DURING THE TRIP TO GIANACLIS.

3. HAVE ASSURED HIM WE WILL TRY TO LET HIM KNOW IF  
THERE ANY CHANGES ON ARRIVAL TIME.  
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